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Via ECFS Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

## Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1

Dear FCC,

I am a consumer of broadband services and landline telephone. My experience with AT&T was, for years, horrendously frustrating and aggravating. I can't tell you how much happier I have been with a small local competitor, LMi. Calls get promptly answered and service has been great. The big companies, AT & T and Comcast NEED competition to improve their ghastly service. Please don't take any action to disrupt my service with LMi.

Sincerely and fervently yours,

E. Kendra Smith